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Applicants note that a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is filed concurrently with this response to disclose a paper entitled "A Single Packet ML Method for Adaptive CCI Identification and Mitigation," by G. Paparisto et al., presented at the Global Telecommunication Conference - Globecom '99, December 5-9, 1999. Provisional Application No. 60/251,254, from which the present application claims priority, was filed on December 4, 2000, less than one year after the presentation of this paper.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the reference cited in this second IDS during the prosecution of the present application and that an appropriate copy of the PTO/SB/08A form accompanying the second IDS be returned to Applicants with the Examiner's initials next to the reference so considered.

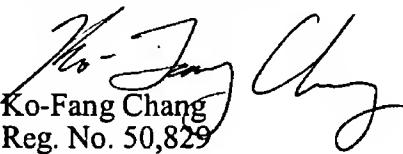
Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the specification by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "Version With Markings to Show Changes Made."

CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 650-326-2400.

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VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Paragraph [01] has been amended as follows:

[01] This invention is a non-provisional application of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/251,254 filed December 4, 2000[2001], the content of which is incorporated herein by reference.